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SIR:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated January 7, 2002, applicants are submitting herewith a duly signed Declaration and a check in payment of the \$130 surcharge required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e).

The Declaration give the names of the inventors and the title of the application, and identifies the application by filing date and attorney docket number. The undersigned attorney of record hereby states that the application filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 12, 2001, under Serial No. 10/005,967, is the application which the inventors executed by signing the attached Declaration.

If any additional fee is required in connection with the instant submission, it is requested that such additional fee be charged to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. A duplicate of this paper is attached.

Respectfully,

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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